LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL COMMITTEE MINUTES

Special Labor/Economic Development Monday, November 30, 2009 3:37 P.M. Third Floor, City Hall

Present: Chair: CM Butler

Members: CM Engel, CM Owen (Arrived at 3:40) and

CM King (Left at 3:38)

Also Present: CM Blackwell, CM Welch, CM Brent Ackerson, CM Downard

Absent: CM Peden (Excused)

Chairwoman Butler began the meeting, by announcing the members and non-members of the committee that were present. A quorum was established.

Special Items For Discussion

JBS (aka) Swift Plant Jobs

CM Blackwell spoke to the item stating the purpose of this resolution is to acknowledge that the jobs at JBS are significant in pay and JBS is a benefit to the Community. Louisville stands behind JBS and wants them as a member of our Community.

The following was discussed:

- Relocation of the Plant
- Management and the Union have worked together to have a good situation for the Community
- · Would like for the Council to pass this resolution in one reading
- Louisville wants JBS to be here and are in support of them
- The odor
- Community impact
- This is a complex Urban issue
- JBS needs to have an ongoing stern accountability to do everything within reason to deal with the Community impact of their operation
- Very significant manufactures in this county
- Louisville wants to be a partner with JBS
- This resolution is not taking sides but is encouraging a business to stay and work together with the business and the Neighborhood Association as a Community as a Whole

CM Engel requested to be added as a Co-Sponsor.

As a consensus, the Labor Committee is support of this resolution and requests sending it to the full Council on Thursday, Dec. 3, 2009.

AGENDA

R-230-11-09 A RESOLUTION DETERMINING ONE (1) VACANT PARCEL OF REAL PROPERTY LOCATED 3207 HALE AVENUE OWNED BY LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT ("METRO GOVERNMENT") AS SURPLUS AND NO LONGER NEEDED FOR A GOVERNMENTAL PURPOSE AND AUTHORIZING ITS TRANSFER.

Status: In Committee

Committee: Labor & Economic Development

Primary Sponsor: Judy Green

Discussion: This item was held in Committee.

Without objection the meeting adjourned at 3:55 P.M.

*NOTE: Items sent to the Consent Calendar or Old Business will be heard before the full Council at the Metro Council Meeting on December 3, 2009.

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